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STATE CAPITAL NEWS

Oklahoma City, December 21.—State bank expenditures in the past week have weakened to the point of admitting that there is small possibility that such a measure will be passed at the coming session of the legislature. The socialist Oklahoma Leader admitted editorially in a recent issue that it is inadvisable to risk a clash with the existing banking system at this time.

Dedication of the federal reserve bank last week and meeting of the state bankers' association has served however to focus attention on probable banking legislation. National bankers developed sentiment favoring abolition of the state guaranty law. The state bankers, however, while favoring modification to make the law a source of last resort rather than first aid, insist that the law is fundamentally sound.

This is an eventful week in the capital city. The following outstanding features are expected: Report of the state budget executive. This work has been done by Ben F. Harrison of Calvin, who is slated for the appointment by Mayor Walton upon his accession to the governor's chair.

A meeting of the Committee of 21 started Monday under the guidance of John Whitehurst, president of the state board of agriculture. This committee is working on the administrative farm legislation program also.

A plan for the creation of a new state court to dispose of all cases on appeal from district and superior courts that do not involve constitutional questions. In this connection it is reported that Tom Owen, who was a candidate for nomination for governor, has a plan for non-partisan election of judges. The chief questions upon which the Committee of 21 will pass are admitted to be the following:

- 1.—A rural credit bill.
 - 2.—Warehouse bill, both cotton and grain.
 - 3.—State ownership of elevators.
 - 4.—Free text books (This is in the hands of a sub-committee.)
 - 5.—The advisability of reducing the legal rate of interest.
- It is generally conceded that favorable reports will be made on all of the subjects listed and that model legislation will be studied and tentative drafts of measures approved by the committee, will be offered the state legislature.

The subject of prison labor is receiving considerable attention but the matter has been left to the American Federation of Labor, by tacit consent. It is admitted that a bitter fight will be waged by labor leaders to abolish the following state industries now carried on in penal institutions:

- 1.—Saw factories.
- 2.—Tobacco factories.
- 3.—Brick plants.
- 4.—Automobile tag factory.

A determined fight is in prospect over the tobacco factory and the brick plant. The opponents of the plan to abolish these industries point out that there is but one union brick plant in America and for that reason the brick plant is not a competitive industry with organized labor.

Officials at the prison at McAlester point out that enough twine is made each year to supply half the demand of the state and that the harvester trust has been forced to cut its price in the state in the past to meet the state product. The twine is marketed through the Farmer's Union and the plan has been popular with the farmer.

The state has at present \$50,000 investment in the automobile tag factory at McAlester.

ANGLIN GAINS IN FAVOR FOR LEADER IN THE SENATE

Information that the incoming administration has thrown its support to Senator Tom Anglin, of Holden, for speaker pro tem of the senate has been the subject of comment in the capitol for the past week. Anglin's friends assert that he has at present 24 senators pledged to his cause. It is declared that Senator W. J. Holloway, of Hugo, who resigned a favorite for the place for some time will be made floor leader of the majority party. The support of Mayor Walton was not openly given to Anglin but the word has been passed that he is satisfactory. There are fourteen state senators at present in Oklahoma City. All agree that Anglin will be the choice of the senate for the post.

GIBBONS DRAWING AWAY FROM FIELD IN RACE FOR SPEAKER

Merry Gibbons, of Purcell, endorsed by the Farmer Labor organization and running under the colors of Mayor Walton for speaker of the lower house has become a decided favorite.

Joe O'Brien, representative-elect of Oklahoma county and James C. Nance, of Marlow, who opened the W. C. Disney campaign for speaker

er have thrown their strength to Gibbons. A week ago it seemed that the Disney forces were about to unite with those of Dave Stovall, of Hugo.

Supporters of Gibbons now claim that 42 members of the incoming legislature, have signed an agreement to support his candidacy. In addition 10 members are said to have pledged him support. Only 42 members are required for a majority in the democratic caucus. His election, barring an eleventh hour upset, seems assured.

LABOR FEDERATION AGAINST CONSTITUTIONAL SESSION

One of the surprises of the week was the action of the executive committee of the state federation in announcing that it opposed a constitutional convention before 1924. The Farmer-Labor union in convention at McAlester last week announced in favor of an immediate convention to be held not later than next November 1st.

The state federation, it is believed will support a project for the creation of a state printing plant, a proposal on which the Farmer-Labor Committee of 21 is reported to be decidedly lukewarm.

"MR. EMPLOYER, MAN YOUR BUSINESS WITH THE MEN WHO MANNED THE GUNS"

December 5, 1922. The Employment Department of the United States Veterans Bureau can furnish you any of the 113 men on the list who have finished their courses during the past two months. Uncle Sam has made an expert of each of these men. Which one can you use? Forty-three of these men are now in Oklahoma.

- Plumber—1.
Poultryman—1.
Telegrapher—1.
Rural mail carrier—1.
Bookkeepers—11.
Auto Electrician—2.
Office clerks—10.
Upholsterer—1.
Motion picture operator—1.
Typewriter repairman—2.
Auto Ign. starting and lighting—1.

- Auto mechanic—7.
Farm manager—1.
Shoe repairman—1.
Bookkeeper and stenographer—1.
Chiropractor—1.
"Our employment service brings the man to the job and not the job to the man." The following were trained outside of this state but desire jobs in Oklahoma:

- Lawyer—1.
Undertaker—1.
Bookkeepers—6.
Button cutter—1.
Stock judge—1.
Auto salesman—1.
Bank clerk—1.
Telegrapher—5.
Cotton classifier—10.
Grain sampler—6.
Auto mechanics—9.
Cabinet maker—2.
Machinist—2.
Tire vulcanizer—1.
Shoe repairman—2.
Oil chemist—1.
Starter and generator repairman—2.
Instructor machine shop—2.
Steam turbine worker—1.
Auto trimmer and upholsterer—2.

- Station agent rate clerk—1.
Upholsterer and top worker—1.
Radiator repairman—1.
Bookkeeper and stenographer—1.
Service station man—1.
Power house engineer—2.
Mechanical dentist—2.
Finger print expert—1.
House wireman—1.
Laboratory technician—1.
Dry goods salesman—1.

Write or telephone Oscar L. Yarberry, Employment Representative, U. S. Veterans Bureau, 398 Harn Building, 220½ W. Third Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Maple 6463, for details. (This space contributed to the service men by The Herald.)

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Chappell of Sunset, were Beaver visitors Tuesday. They were in on business and while here visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Henson and Mrs. Nettie Brown.

Col. J. A. Sanders left today Decatur, Indiana, for a few weeks' stay during which time he will attend auction school with particular reference to pure bred sales.

H. G. Purdy has moved to Beaver and is living with his daughter, Mrs. W. S. Frost, and husband.

Mrs. John Wallace left Sunday for her home near McAlester to spend Christmas with home folk.

Judge and Mrs. R. H. Loofbourrow are spending this week in Oklahoma City.

MINDING OUR BUSINESS

Italian lira will buy more wheat today than a month ago. This is not due to the United States agreeing to participate in any European quarrels in which Italy is a party. It is not due to the United States destroying its protective tariff and permitting goods from Italy or any other European country to flood the American market at the expense of American industry and working men.

The increased value of Italian lira is due to internal reforms inaugurated in Italy by the new Mussolini ministry. These reforms will take the Italian government out of the business of owning and operating public utilities, will divorce it from other Socialistic and radical practices, will dismiss a veritable army of useless public employees, will greatly reduce the military establishment of Italy, will drastically cut public expenditures and insist upon efficiency in public service. Above all, the Mussolini ministry announces its intention of appealing to a spirit of patriotism and national unity which Italy has in a large measure lost because of the years of propaganda in that country by internationalists.

In other words, Italy has announced its intention of staying at home and minding its business. Premier Mussolini, in a public statement November 21, approved the attitude the United States has adopted towards Europe, saying: "I agree with the Americans that Europe must first put her own house in order before she can expect helpful cooperation from America."

There is in Italy's new national policy an impressive moral for those in the country who are clamoring for the United States to project itself into European affairs, upon the plea that unless it does Europe can never be reconstructed. European currency can never regain its normal values and European markets will never be able to absorb any American exports. The salvation of Europe itself, it does not depend and cannot be brought about by America's participation either politically or economically in the various bickerings and enmities which now operate to keep the nations of Europe from getting back to sane conditions economically.

England is another country which has decided to emphasize domestic reforms and curtail participation in foreign fields. The result of the recent British elections were a victory for the Conservatives in the United Kingdom. The thing most stressed by the Conservatives in their campaign for control of the new British Parliament was the necessity of fewer foreign commitments, fewer foreign "adventures," and more attention to affairs at home, particularly the problems of public expenditure, unemployment and bureaucracy.

Undoubtedly the example which the United States has set in this regard since the war has not been lost upon European countries. This nation has prospered since the war in a marvelous degree as compared with every other nation of the world. There is no doubt that this is due to the fact that we have remained aloof from international quarrels, engaged in no European adventures and committed ourselves to no alliances, either political or economical.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



The Trouble Collector figures that Everybody is trying to Put Something Over on him and so goes Around with his Suspicious Mind hunting Trouble and Always Finding it. In a World so full of Everything, we can Generally find what we are Looking for, whether Joy or Sorrow.

FOLLETT, TEXAS

Again we "take our pen in hand" to chronicle a few Follett happenings.

Editor C. A. Skaggs, who has been away health-hunting came home for Thanksgiving, but is not very greatly improved. His son, Fred, and daughters, Ethel and Juanita, are the whole force at the printing office these days.

Mrs. Rush's music class gave a recital on Friday evening the 15th. Workmen on the new parsonage say it will be finished today.

The Methodist ladies Aid held their annual bazaar and served dinner and supper, Saturday the 16th.

The Baptists have given their church a coat of paint which adds much to its appearance. Guy Wimmingsham's new home will soon be completed.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hanson, who have been visiting friends in Sacramento, California, expect to return home about January 1st. Their sister Mrs. Evans is keeping house for them.

E. E. Harland of Logan was a Follett visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwoppe and son Milton, who lately made the trip by auto to Los Angeles, California, for the benefit of Mr. Schwoppe's health, expect to come home soon after the holidays. The climate does not suit his case being too damp.

We recently received the following announcement from our former Beaver County friends, now of Taft, California: To announce the arrival of a girl baby, Marjorie Joy, on Sunday, Dec. 3, 1922, weight 11 pounds, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith. Congratulations.

This office has been faring sumptuously every day lately, through the kindness of Mesdames Markley, Schultz and Courtney.

fresh sausage, chicken soup and chicken pie. Keep it up ladies. Such things are certainly appreciated where one's busiest hours are from eleven to two and no cooking included.

Follett is preparing for a Community Christmas tree and entertainment at the Auditorium at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cupps and children left today for a visit with friends in Oklahoma during the holidays.

Our teachers dismissed school today for one week at the institute at Perryton followed by a Christmas visit with home folks.

Mrs. Russell Wilder, who is at Shattuck, taking treatment at the hospital is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. W. C. Reid has not been so well for the past week. Miss Nettie Bruce is helping with her housework.

Mr. and Mrs. Barley Saulsberry have bought out the Sawyer Cafe. Here's wishing the Herald and all old dear Beaver county a Merry Merry Christmas.

—Reporter.

Some Ingratitude Looked For. Milk of human kindness should not be turned sour by ingratitude. Some of that is to be expected.

True.

Even those who think twice before they speak are apt to hate another think coming after they have spoken. —Exchange.

The Better Position.

He that is taught to live upon little owes more to his father's wisdom than he that has a great deal left him does to his father's care.—William Penn.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES.

Let's make next Lord's Day a big day.

A tree has been ordered and an interesting Xmas program will be given at evening hour—7:30. Every member of the Bible School will receive a bag with something in it. Don't fail to come.

All services at the usual hours. No Christian Endeavor services that day.

You are welcome. F. M. TIBBS, Pastor.

The basket ball game played here Tuesday night between the town team of Beaver and Hooker, resulted in a score of 18 to 36 in favor of Beaver.

On Will Hooper's return from Oklahoma City, last week he visited his old home in Custer county. Mr. Hooper states the wheat there is fine, in fact the finest he ever saw.

The Christian church will have a Christmas program and tree Sunday evening. Everyone cordially invited.

Misses Johnnie and Lula Sims will go to their former home at Shattuck for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Vanderberg are the proud parents of a boy baby, born Tuesday morning.

Miss Anna Hughes will spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Otto Barby, at Knowles.

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